

### **REMARKS**

Applicant appreciates the Examiner's thorough consideration provided the present application. Claims 1-3 are now present in the application. Claims 1 and 2 have been amended. Claim 1 is independent. Reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

### **Claim Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. §112**

Claims 1-3 rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which Applicant regards as the invention. This rejection is respectfully traversed.

In view of the foregoing amendments, it is believed that this rejection has been addressed. In particular, the present invention in paragraphs [0023]-[0025] and [0029]-[0032] of the specification discloses an embodiment for the final step of claim 1. Accordingly, all pending claims are now definite and clear. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, are therefore respectfully requested.

### **CONCLUSION**

It is believed that a full and complete response has been made to the Office Action, and that as such, the Examiner is respectfully requested to send the application to Issue.

In the event there are any matters remaining in this application, the Examiner is invited to contact Joe McKinney Muncy, Registration No. 32,334 at (703) 205-8000 in the Washington, D.C. area.

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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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